"The South 40"
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EXTENSION AGENT

How many times have we read the words READ THIS LABEL? Over the week end a concerned tobacco grower called to inquire about a mix-up on pesticide used in a plant bed. Seems that the intention was to use Sevin but after making the application they discovered that DDT was mistakenly used.

I like to think of the collection of insecticides, herbicides, and fungicides in the same manner that most people treat medicine in the medicine chest. They all need to be clearly labeled and used by responsible persons.

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We've just concluded a test demonstration using Tegwton as a pour-on with Monroe Dyess's sow herd. This material gave acceptable lice control for 31 days. Then we observed a buildup of lice.

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Last week we set-up a fly control test-demonstration with W. E. Bondurant, Jr. beef cow herd. In this situation we are using Ciodrin in dust bags.

We also set-up a fly control test - demonstration with the Glover Brothers dairy herd using Rabon. This is also in dust bags.

1% Rabon dust received E.P. A. label clearance three weeks ago. This test will provide us with information concerning its effectiveness.

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County wool producers will market their 1972 clip Mon., June 19, in Lynchburg. The wool sold for a gross price of $45.-90 per CWT.

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The results of the 1972 spring feeder sales have been published. Steers averaged $39.85 and heifers $35.52 per hundred wgt. This is the highest average price for spring sales since they were started in 1954.

In Lynchburg the average was $39.52 for steers and $35.01 for heifers.

34 percent of Lynchburg cattle graded Fancy and Choice. State wide the average was 40 percent. This strongly suggest that we can do a better job of breeding our cattle for quality.

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Marketing of livestock is changing rapidly across the county. For example in '61 42% of our cattle were sold through auction in 1970, but only 22% of hogs and sheep were sold this way. The latter classes of livestock were sold mainly direct or through county dealers.

Pricing of livestock is of increasing concern to everyone in the industry, and it will receive considerable attention in the next decade.

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PRECIPITATION
Last week 0
This Month ..... .92
This Year 21.54

ROCKS

June 11—It was cool here over the week end. Heat felt real good.

Joe Maxwell returned to his home in Halfway, Mo, after spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Maxwell of Pamplin.

Mrs. John Ranson was operated on at Va. Baptist Hospital on Tuesday. A speedy recovery is wished her.

Mrs. G. C. Maxwell and Cassie Baldwin were in Lynchburg Tuesday.

A number of club members went on a tour of Reidsville and Eden, N. C. on Thursday.

Mrs. Nellie Paulette and Carl Almond were married Wednesday afternoon. Congratulations to this fine couple.

The S. S. Class held a picnic down at Old Rocks on Friday night.

Congratulations to the ones who graduated at A. H. S. on Friday night.

The V. B. S. got off to a good start Saturday morning.

A sad gloom was cast over our community when news came Saturday night that our beloved friend, Mrs. Jennie Almond had passed away at Lynchburg General Hospital. Sympathy is extended the family.

The Ladies are busy freezing peas.

Mrs. Melvin Garett will go back to a doctor in Lynchburg for a check up.

A very large crowd attended the funeral of Mrs. Jennie Almond at Robinson Funeral Home this afternoon (Monday).

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Legal Notice

THE COMMISSION OF GAME AND INLAND FISHERIES at a meeting held in Richmond, Virginia, on May 5, 1972, adopted the following amended or new regulations pursuant to Sections 29-125, 29-126 and 29-127 of the Code of Virginia, to become effective July 1, 1972.

CHAPTER 1. In General
R1-4 "Game fish" as mentioned in Commission regulations means and includes trout (including all salmonidae), grayling, all of the sunfish family (including largemouth bass, small mouth bass and spotted bass), rock bass, bream, bluegill and crappie), walleye pike or pike perch, white bass, chain pickerel, or jackfish, muskellunge, northern pike and lake trout, wherever such fish are found in the waters of this Stat and rockfish or striped bass where found above tidewaters or in streams which are blocked from access from tidewaters by dams.

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CHAPTER 3. Bear.
R3-1. Except as otherwise provided by local legislation and with the specific exceptions provided in the regulations appearing in this chapter, it shall be lawful to hunt bear from the second Monday in November through December 31, both dates inclusive.

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R3-4. It shall be unlawful to kill a bear other than one hundred pounds live weight.

CHAPTER 5. Bobcat
R5-01. It shall be lawful to hunt bobcat only during the open season for hunting raccoon as provided for in R16-1 through R16-6, inclusive.

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CHAPTER 6. Deer.
R6-6. The bag limit for deer shall be one a day and two a license year, one of which may be a doe, in the counties of Southampton and Sussex and in the following military areas: Camp Peary, Cheatham Annex, Fort Eustis, Harry Diamond Laboratory, Langley Air Force Base, Naval Weapons Station and Presquile Federal Wildlife Refuge.

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R6-7 The bag limit for deer shall be one a day and two a license year, one of which may be a doe during the last two-week hunting days only, in the counties of Caroline, Essex, Gloucester, Greensville, Isle of Wight, King and Queen, King George, King William, Lancaster, Middlesex, Nansemond (that portion west of a line established by Acts 1950, c. 83, as amended by Acts 1956, c. 40), Northumberland, Richmond, Surry and Westmoreland and on the U. S. Marine Corps Base, Quantico.

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R6-7.1. The bag limit for deer shall be one a day and two a license year, one of which may be a doe during the last three hunting days only, in the counties of Amelia, Brunswick (except Camp Pickett), Buckingham, Charles City, Chesterfield (except Presquile Federal Wildlife Refuge), Cumberland, Dinwiddie (except Camp Pickett), Fluvanna, Goochland, Hanover, Henrico, James City, Louisa, New Kent, Nottoway (except Camp Pickett), Powhatan, Prince George, Spotsylvania, Stafford (except on the U. S. Marine Corps Base, Quantico) and York (except Camp Peary, Cheatham Annex and Naval Weapons Station), and in the cities of Hampton (except Langley Air Force Base) and Newport News (except Fort Eustis).

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R6-7.2. The bag limit for deer shall be one a day and two a license year, one of which may be a doe the last hunting day only, in the counties of Albemarle, Culpeper, Fairfax, Fauquier (except on the U.S. Marine Corps Base, Quantico), Greene, Loudoun, Madison, Orange, Prince William (except on the U. S. Marine Corps Base, Quantico, and Harry Diamond Laboratory) and Rappahannock and on Camp Pickett.

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CHAPTER 9. Grouse.
R9-1. It shall be lawful to hunt grouse from the second Monday in November through February 15, both dates inclusive.

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R9-2, prescribing the open season for grouse in counties west of the Blue Ridge Mountains, is hereby rescinded.

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CHAPTER 10. Mink.
R10-2. It shall be lawful to trap mink from December 1 through the last day of February, both dates inclusive.

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CHAPTER 11. Muskrat.
R11-1. It shall be lawful to trap muskrat from December 1 through the last day of February, both dates inclusive.

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CHAPTER 12. Opossum.
R12-2. It shall be lawful to trap opossum from December 1 through the last day of February both dates inclusive.

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CHAPTER 13. Otter.
R13-2. It shall be unlawful to sell any otter pelts until the pelts have been sealed by an agent of the Commission.

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CHAPTER 13. 1. Pheasant.
R13. 1-1. It shall be lawful to hunt pheasant from the second Monday in November and for five consecutive hunting days following.

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R13. 1-2. The bag limit for pheasant shall be one a day, two a license year, cocks only.

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CHAPTER 14. Quail.
R14-1. It shall be lawful to hunt quail from the second Monday in November through February 15, both dates inclusive.

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R14-2, prescribing the open season for quail in counties west of the Blue Ridge Mountains, is hereby rescinded.

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CHAPTER 15. Rabbit.
R15.1. It shall be lawful to hunt rabbit from the second Monday in November through January 31, both dates inclusive.

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R15-2, prescribing the open season for rabbit in Accomack and Northampton counties, is hereby rescinded.

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R15-3, prescribing the open season for rabbit in counties west of the Blue Ridge Mountains, is hereby rescinded.

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CHAPTER 16. Raccoon.
R16-11. Except as otherwise provided by local legislation and with the specific exceptions provided in the regulations appearing in this article, it shall be lawful to trap raccoon from December 1 through the last day of February, both dates inclusive.

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CHAPTER 17. Squirrel.
R17-1. Except as otherwise provided by local legislation and with the specific exceptions provided in the regulations appearing in this chapter, it shall be lawful to hunt squirrel from the second Monday in November through January 31, both dates inclusive.

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R17-2, prescribing the open season for squirrel in counties west of the Blue Ridge Mountains, is hereby rescinded.

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R17-3. It shall be lawful to hunt squirrel from September 1 through September 15, both dates inclusive, and from the second Monday in November through January 31, both dates inclusive, in the counties of Brunswick (except Camp Pickett Military Reservation) and Lunenburg.

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R17-4. It shall be lawful to hunt squirrel from September 15 through September 30, both dates inclusive, and from the second Monday in November through January 31, both dates inclusive, in the counties of Bland, Buchanan, Craig, Dickenson, Lee, Mecklenburg, Montgomery, Pulaski, Russell, Smyth, Tazewell, Washington, Wise and Wythe.

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R17-4.1, prescribing the squirrel season for Mecklenburg County, is hereby rescinded.

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R17-5. It shall be lawful to hunt squirrel from September 15 through October 14 and from the second Monday in November through January 31, both dates inclusive, in the counties of Bedford, Campbell, Halifax, and Pittsylvania.

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R17-5.1. It shall be lawful to hunt squirrel from September 15 through October 31, both dates inclusive, and from the second Monday in November through January 31, both dates inclusive, within the boundaries of Camp A. P. Hill Military Reservation.

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R17-6. It shall be lawful to hunt squirrel from October 1 through October 14, both dates inclusive, and from the second Monday in November through January 31, both dates inclusive, in the counties of Accomack, Alleghany, Amherst, Clarke, Culpeper, Fairfax (except that section closed to all hunting), Fauquier, Frederick, Grayson, King George, Lancaster, Loudoun, Louisa, Madison, Nansemond, Northampton, Northumberland, Page, Prince William, Rappahannock, Richmond, Roanoke, Rockingham, Shenandoah, Spotsylvania, Stafford, Warren, and Westmoreland and within the boundaries of the Marine Corps Base, Quantico.

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R17-7, prescribing the squirrel season in certain counties, is hereby rescinded.

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CHAPTER 18. Turkey.
R18-1. Except as otherwise specifically provided in the regulations appearing in this chapter, it shall be lawful to hunt turkeys from the second Monday in November through December 31, both dates inclusive.

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R18-2, prescribing the open season for turkeys in counties west of the Blue Ridge Mountains, is hereby rescinded.

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R18-2.1. It shall be lawful to hunt bearded turkeys only from April 14 to May 12, 1973, both dates inclusive, from one-half hour before sunrise to 11 o'clock a.m., except in Lee County, which shall be closed to hunting. Bearded turkeys shall be hunted by calling. It shall be unlawful to use dogs or organize drives for the purpose of hunting.

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R18-3. There shall be a continuous closed turkey season, except where a special spring season for bearded turkeys is provided for in R18-2.1, in the counties of Accomack, Alleghany (in the Gathright Management Area only), Arlington, Bath (in the Gathright Management Area only), Buchanan, Carroll, Charles City, Clarke, Dickenson, Floyd, Gloucester, Hanover, Henrico, Henry, Isle of Wight, James City, King George, Lancaster, Lee, Mathews, Middlesex, Nansemond, New Kent, Northampton, Northumberland, Patrick, Richmond, Scott, Southampton, Surry, Sussex, Westmoreland, Wise and York, and in the cities of Chesapeake, Hampton, Newport News and Virginia Beach.

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CHAPTER 23.
Fishing Generally.
R23-2. The creel limits for the various species of fish shall be as follows:

Largemouth, smallmouth and spotted bass, eight a day in the aggregate.

Landlocked striped bass, four a day, except that in the Dan River below the Brantly Steam Plant Dam, the Roanoke (Staunton) River below Leesville Dam, Kerr Reservoir and Gaston Reservoir the limit shall be eight a day.

White bass, no limit, except that in Gaston Reservoir the limit shall be twenty-five.

Walleye or pike perch and chain pickerel or jackfish, eight a day, provided that only five walleye a day may be taken from South Holston Reservoir below full pool elevation of 1730.

Northern pike and muskellunge, two a day;

Grayling, one a day;

Sauger, no limit, provided that only fifteen a day may be taken from South Holston Reservoir below full pool elevation of 1730;

Bluegill (bream) and other sunfish, including crappie or silver perch and rock bass or redeye, no limit.

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R23-3. Except as provided in this regulation and in R24-10.1, there shall be no closed season, however, the minimum size limit on muskellunge, northern pike and chain pickerel, striped bass, striped bass hybrids, that in the Dan River below the Roanoke Steam Plant, Leesville Dam, Smith Mountain Reservoir and Gaston Reservoir, minimum size limit on striped bass (rockfish) in the Dan River below the Roanoke Steam Plant, be a twelve-inch minimum size limit on largemouth, smallmouth and spotted bass in the Dan River and Staunton (Roanoke) River below the Roanoke Steam Plant, Leesville Dam, Smith Mountain Reservoir and Gaston Reservoir, minimum size limit on largemouth bass in the Dan River below the Roanoke Steam Plant, be a twelve-inch minimum size limit on largemouth, smallmouth and spotted bass in the Dan River and Staunton (Roanoke) River below the Roanoke Steam Plant, Leesville Dam, Smith Mountain Reservoir and Gaston Reservoir, minimum size limit on striped bass (rockfish)